

Sheriff 'Al' Smith To Organize 10,000 As County Guard

Will Swear in Special Deputies; Millionaires May Be Included

Sheriff Alfred E. Smith of New York County announced yesterday a plan for a force of about 10,000 special deputies to guard life and property in Manhattan. Every man sworn in as special deputy sheriff will have the right to carry a revolver or whatever other firearm he prefers. Thus, the Home De-

fence League will be supplemented by a force of about the same size. Sheriff Smith's ten regiments will serve without pay, and in most cases will be made up of business men and small property owners.

The Sheriff plans to cover practically every block in Manhattan, for he expects to get ten men from each of the 840 election districts of the county as a nucleus. He will add to this force about 100 special deputies already appointed. Then he has 450 members of the three panels of the Sheriff's jury, who might be used as officers.

In this way, a force of millionaire special deputies may guard life and property in the city, for in the list of Sheriff's juries are such well known names as William K. Vanderbilt, Frederick W. Vanderbilt, Theodore P. Shonts, Frederick W. Woolworth, George T. Wilson, Charles P. Doelger, Felix Warburg, Isaac N. Seligman, Chauncey M. Depew, Jr., Charles R.

Mitchel Retains Hughes as Counsel In Senate Inquiry

Mayor, Served with Subpoena, Will Face Legislators Tuesday

A Circus, Says Mills

Alleged Letter of City's Executive Over Rockaway Land Deal Proves Myth

Mayor Mitchel has retained Charles E. Hughes as his personal counsel to represent him before the Senate, at Albany, Tuesday, when he will appear to be questioned about statements against Senator Robert F. Wagner and other legislators. Corporation Counsel Hardy said yesterday that Mr. Hughes had been retained purely in a personal capacity by the Mayor. Mr. Hardy and other representatives of the legal department of the city also expect to be present.

Charles R. Hotelling, sergeant-at-arms of the Senate, served the Mayor as the Mayor's home on Riverside Drive, early yesterday, with a subpoena for his appearance. The Mayor accepted service and later in the day left for Atlantic City to rest until Monday. He will return Monday.

Mayor Mitchel expressed his determination to see the Wagner-Rockaway controversy through to the end. The Mayor's friends feel certain that he will be able to justify his assertions that Senator Wagner, and other legislators, had appeared to be working in the interests of the German government in the matter of the Rockaway Point land deal. It was even intimated that revelations might be made that would prolong the inquiry before the Senate for several days.

Senator Ogden L. Mills conferred with Mayor Mitchel at the City Hall yesterday. The Senator declined to talk about the matter under discussion. He was asked what kind of an entertainment the Senate would supply when the Mayor appears before that body.

"It will be good," said Senator Mills. "We started out with a three-ring circus and now it has got down to two. Maybe it will get down to one." He asserted that he did not think the Senate's session with the Mayor would be a long one.

"It all depends, however, upon the amount of restraint the Senators exercise upon themselves," he said.

With Mr. Hughes in charge of the Mayor's case, the strong arm of counsel which will appear each day at the Albany hearing promises something of the spectacular. Samuel Untermyer will represent Senator Wagner, and Nathan L. Miller, ex-Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals, will represent the Mayor.

Some of Senator Wagner's friends recently alleged that Mayor Mitchel had written a letter to Deputy Tax Commissioner Halloran, of Queens, demanding that the assessment on the Rockaway land desired for a fort be raised about the time the government tried to get it.

It was understood that Mr. Untermyer had intended to make a demand on Lawson Purdy, president of the Tax Commissioners, for the alleged letter, but became convinced yesterday that no such document had ever existed.

Baltimoreans Pledge \$30,000 for Hospital

Gift Provides Army with Twenty-second Unit

(By Telegrams to The Tribune)

Baltimore, March 30.—Business men of Baltimore at a luncheon at the Merchants' Club subscribed or pledged \$30,000 to equip a base hospital for the American Red Cross to-day.

Dr. Winford Smith, superintendent of Johns Hopkins Hospital, explained that the United States has no base hospitals of its own and must depend on voluntary organizations in time of need. Once formed, they are under Federal control and are subject to orders of the War Department.

Boston has equipped three hospitals. New York, Philadelphia and other cities also have, bringing the total to twenty-two. Dr. Smith this evening wired Washington Red Cross headquarters of the fund pledged.

Guard to Carry Federal Control Plan to Capital

Rank and File to Follow Protest with Nationwide Campaign

The rank and file of the National Guard intends making itself heard in Washington. Utterly at variance with the bureaucrats of the organization in the matter of universal training under Federal control, it does not purpose that Congress shall be influenced again by the lobby that pushed through the Hay bill a year ago. It is determined to have its own mouthpiece at the Capitol.

In other words, it is going to follow up the protest meeting which followed the adjournment of the National Guard convention in this city Thursday afternoon with campaigns to convince the country that it welcomes Federal absorption for the good of the United States.

A copy of the speech of Colonel William C. Fisk of the 1st Regiment, and of the resolutions adopted at this protest meeting will be placed on the desk of every Senator and Representative when Congress opens Monday morning. This is the plan.

Governors Also Get Copies

Copies of the speech and the resolutions will be mailed also to the Governor of every state in the Union. Meetings of the kind which prompted these resolutions will be held in identical form will be presented to them for adoption. Finally, a representative committee of the men who are speaking the rank and file in this matter will journey to Washington to convince Congressmen in person that they, and not J. C. R. Foster, adjutant general of Florida, and his friends actually represent the sentiment of the Guard.

Herbert L. Satterlee, who presided at the protest meeting on Thursday, will be one of these pilgrims, in all probability. He thought the best thing at the meeting was Colonel Fisk's speech. It seemed of great significance to him that Colonel Fisk, who has been a member of the Guard for forty-two years, who had commanded a crack regiment and who said he loved the Guard and his regiment, should at the same time express the willingness that neither the Guard nor his regiment should stand in the way of national preparedness.

Two Salary Increases Proposed in Legislature

(From a Staff Correspondent of The Tribune.)

Albany, March 30.—Assemblyman F. A. Wells and Senator Charles F. Murphy, Republicans, introduced bills to-day providing for large salary increases. The Wells bill would increase the salaries of Senators from \$1,500 to \$3,500, of Assemblymen from \$1,500 to \$3,000, of the judges of the Appellate Division from \$15,000 to \$20,000, of the Governor from \$10,000 to \$20,000, and of the Lieutenant Governor from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

Senator Murphy's bill would affect New York City only. It would amend the charter by increasing the salaries of the borough presidents of Manhattan, the Bronx and Brooklyn from \$2,500 to \$10,000 and of the borough presidents of Queens and Richmond from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

His Brunette a Blonde

Underford Won't Live with Woman Who Bleaches Hair

Max Underford, who, as his name might indicate, is a machinist, is partial to brunettes. He married one, but when Mrs. Ida Underford appeared in the Domestic Relations Court yesterday to testify against him a great change had come over her.

"I came home one night and found my wife had become a blonde," explained Max. "I will not live with a woman who bleaches her face. If I liked blondes I would have married one. We quarrelled over it and I left two weeks ago. I'm willing to pay her \$2 a week. Do you use peroxide?" she was asked.

"Not peroxide," replied Mrs. Underford, volunteering no further information for Max to return. The court ordered him to raise his offer to \$4.50 a week.

Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., Enlists in War Guard

South Norwalk, Conn., March 30.—Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., of New York, enlisted in Norwalk's police war guard. Having had experience in military tactics, he was appointed lieutenant, and acted as such when the first drill was held last night in the armory. He attends the Harston School here.

Truck Falls Into Subway Cut

Fireman, policemen, wreckers of the Jured internally. One of the horses was crushed to death.

A two-horse steel truck broke through the guard rail of the Lexington Avenue subway excavation yesterday at Forty-fifth Street and toppled into the cut. John Benton, of 444 West Fifty-sixth Street, the driver, was injured. The horse was killed. The truck was owned by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals worked for half an hour before extricating the horse and vehicle.

Salmagundi Club Exhibition

Preceding their sale on the nights of April 12 and 14, 200 moderately sized paintings, contributed by members of the Salmagundi Club for the benefit of their new clubhouse fund, will be exhibited in the club gallery from Wednesday, April 4, until Saturday, April 14, from 2 to 6 and 8 to 10 p. m.

The pictures include examples by J. Francis Murphy, Bruce Crane, Frederick Waugh, Emil Carlsen, Paul Daugherty and F. Ballard Williams.

Aero Club Wants 2,000 War Fliers And Cabinet Place

Enthusiastic Demand for Preparedness Voiced at Annual Dinner

Toast to France Drunk

Stephen Lauzanne Cheered—Gerard Defends Baker and Daniels

An appeal for a separate department of aeronautics and "2,000 military aviators by December" was voiced at the eleventh annual dinner of the Aero Club of America at the Waldorf-Astoria last night.

The enthusiastic demand for aero preparedness found vent in the cheers and applause that greeted the national anthem, the announcement of Rodman Wanamaker's gift of an air cruiser and the Port Washington aviation school to the government and in the raising of a separate department of aeronautics in the government.

The cheers came when Geraldine Farrar, standing in the balcony of the Waldorf-Astoria, sang the "Star-Spangled Banner." At the end of the first verse Miss Farrar unfurled a great American flag. Cheer after cheer burst from the throats of the six hundred men at the dinner, to be echoed by the two hundred women watching from the balcony. Handkerchiefs fluttered in the air and napkins were waved violently overhead.

Aviation Department Urged

There appeared to be some peculiar significance in the many times mention was made of the wisdom of establishing a separate department of aeronautics in the government. Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, and Rodman Wanamaker, in his letter, mentioned the establishment of such a department. The United States is, as a matter of fact, the only first-class power without such a Cabinet officer. And when Representative Murray Hulbert said he was to present a bill recommending an aeronautics department and a minister of the air the significance was apparent.

Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske was scheduled to speak, but was forced to decline the honor when the naval mizzen was applied, and was not present.

Henry A. Wise Wood, acting as toastmaster, said that "the two weakest elements of the defense of our country stand revealed in the persons of the Secretaries of War and Navy. He urged the diners to work toward having Elihu Root seated in President Wilson's Cabinet as Secretary of State, General Leonard Wood as Secretary of War and Rear Admiral Fiske as Secretary of the Navy.

Boy Scouts Quickly Mobilized

Nearly eleven hundred Boy Scouts of The Bronx, mobilized for the purpose of the air the significance was apparent. In ninety minutes, participated yesterday in exercises connected with the presentation of a flag and staff to Bronx Park. William T. Hornaday, director of the New York Zoological Park and Borough President Matthews spoke.

set speech, came to the defense of the Secretaries of War and Navy.

"Don't let us be hysterical," said he, "and go into war crying that all has happened. I believe that the American love of fair play will not condemn a man until his acts have been weighed. The offices have been filled by civilians. There is a very good reason for that, and it is because we do not want to become subject to militarism. Those two secretaries are aided in the administration of their work by the very efficient General Staff and the heads of the army and navy."

"I believe that the statistics show the administration of Secretary Daniels to have been a successful one. As to Secretary Baker, let me say that the records of the previous offices he has held have shown him to be a man of intellect and capability. Remember one thing. The most necessary of going into war is a cool head."

Mr. Gerard said that he had been an officer in the National Guard. "But," he declared, "universal service is the only solution. If some one outside is waiting to beat you, you don't ask one arm to volunteer and then go to the fight. No. You mobilize all at once and declare for universal service of both arms and legs and teeth, if you have them."

Major General Wood came to the dinner late and was greeted with great enthusiasm. He made a short talk in favor of obligatory training and service.

Stephane Lauzanne, editor of the Paris "Matin," was also received with cheers, and at the end of his short address a toast to France was drunk.

Award of Trophies

President Hawley announced the award of the trophy for the greatest achievement in aviation in America demonstrated by use during the preceding year, to Elmer A. Sperry and Lawrence B. Sperry for the development and demonstration of the Sperry drift indicator.

He also announced the award of the Aero Club of America's medal of merit, as follows:

to Miss Ruth Law—American distance record "cross-country," November 19, 1916, 312 miles.

Philip A. Carroll—For patriotic work in training military aviators at Governor's Island, 1916.

Edward Smith—American hydro altitude record, January 12, 1916, one passenger, 12,333 feet; January 11, 1916, two passengers, 9,243 feet; February 12, 1916, three passengers, 8,903 feet.

Corporal A. D. Smith, U. S. A.—American hydro duration record, February 19, 1916, 8 hours 45 minutes.

Captain C. C. Culver, U. S. A.—For wireless experimentation, 1916.

James V. Martin—For invention of the aerodynamic stabilizer.

Aerial Coast Patrol Unit No. 1—For pioneer work in developing coast defense.

In recognition of aviation service at the Mexican border, 1916—Major B. D. Fox, Captain J. E. Barber, Captain W. G. Hubner, Captain I. D. Rader, Captain C. G. Chapman, Captain H. A. Dargue, Captain E. H. Willis, Captain T. S. Bowen, Captain E. C. Morris, Captain A. R. Christie, Captain T. S. Dudd, U. S. A.

Victor Carlsdon—Three additional bars to medal of merit he already holds.

Great Fur Sale at St. Louis

Pelts Worth \$3,500,000 to Bring Buyers of World

St. Louis, March 30.—A record auction sale of furs will be held in St. Louis beginning April 16 when 2,750,000 furs worth approximately \$3,500,000 will be sold to purchasers from nearly every country in the world. The sale is expected to last eight days. The Japanese government will offer 1,533 raw seal furs, and several large shipments of skins intended for this sale are en route from Manchuria and Russia.

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